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The subfamily Apateticinae Fauvel, 1895 (24 species in genera *Apatetica* Westwood, 1848 and *Nodymus* C. Waterhouse, 1876) is worldwide, but mainly distributed in South-East Asia [1]. Five species of the genus *Nodymus* are known from "West Indies" (*N. nitidus* C. Waterhouse), Myanmar (*N. rubrofasciatus* Jansson, *N. silphoides* Jansson, *N. unicolor* Jansson), and Japan (*N. leucophasciatus*) [2]. Last species was found by me in the collection of the Department of Invertebrate Zoology and Hydrobiology, Irkutsk State University (ISU). It is the first record of the subfamily Apateticinae for the Russia. I thank Dr V.G. Shilenkov (Irkutsk) for possibility to study the collection of ISU.

Nodynus leucophasciatus Lewis, 1879

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